

## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Carl G. Hellerqvist and Changlin Fu

Serial No. 10/823,506

Filed: April 12, 2004

For: GBS Toxin Receptor

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

- Second Preliminary Amendment.  
 Additional fee is required.

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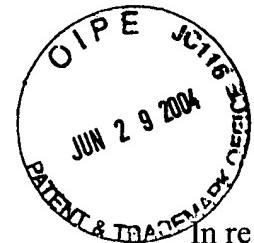
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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Prior to Examination, Applicants respectfully request amendment of the application as follows and consideration of the accompanying remarks.

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